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IN RE APPLICATION OF: **L. Kathryn Durham, et al** :

APPLICATION NO.: **10/032,241** : Examiner: **To be assigned**

FILING DATE: **12/21/01** : Group Art Unit: **1614**

TITLE: **Methods, Compositions, and Kits Relating to** :
Cardiovascular Disease

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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is requested that the term for response to the Examiner's Action in this application, mailed on January 29, 2002, and having an original period for response of two months, which expired on March 29, 2002, be extended by two month(s), such that it expires on May 29, 2002.

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